**Exercise : Git Installation - Basic Commands** 

# **Step 1: Installation of Git on windows and EC2 Instance Step 1.1: Git On EC2 Instance**

Create a new EC2 instance (2018-03) with ssh as security group inbound rule and login to the instance with SmartTTY tool and run the following commands

\$ sudo yum install git -y

\$ git version

### **Step 1.2: Git on Windows**

Download and install git from the following url and go with all default options

https://gitforwindows.org/

Double click the Git bash icon on the desktop



You should see a command window where you can type Git commands. Type Git version to check the version of Git installed

Step 1.3: Configure Git using the following commands

```
$ git config --global user.name "Your name"
$ git config --global user.email "your email"
$ git config --list
```

## Step 2: Initializing a git repository

```
$ mkdir myproject
$cd myproject
$ git init
```

## Step 3: Adding files to git and commit

```
$cd myproject
$ git status
$ echo "My first file in git" > file1.txt
$ git status
$ git add . (to add all files)
$ git status
$ git commit -m "my first commit"
```

### **Step 4:** Modify files in git and commit

```
$echo "My first file changed" >>file1.txt
$git status
$git add .
$git commit -m "new changes"
```

## **Step 5:** Viewing commit logs

```
$echo "My second file " >file2.txt
$echo "My third file " >>file3.txt
$ git log
```

## Step 6: To view commit logs of a specific user

\$git log --author "karthik"

### **Step 7:** Add the new files to git

```
$ git add .
$ git status
$ git commit -m "New files added"
$ git log
```

## Step 8: To back out any changes made to existing files

```
$ echo "Initial text"> sample.txt
$ git add .
$ git commit -m "New commit"
$ echo "More text">> sample.txt
$ git status
$ git add .
//To revert the changes from staging area
$ git reset HEAD sample.txt
//To revert the changes from unstaged area
$ git checkout -- sample.txt
$ git status
//To revert the changes from local repo
$ git log
$ git revert <Commit id">
```

#### **Step 9:** Viewing the commit logs

```
$ git log
$ git log --oneline --graph –decorate
$ git log --since="2 days ago"
```

#### Step 10: To show all the commits of a file

\$ git log <file name>

#### **Step 11:** To show the details of a commit

\$ git show < commit id>

**Step 12:** To ignore files from project for commits

```
Create a file with name .gitignore
Add the following patterns to file to ignore
Testfile.txt // to just ignore a file
*.log // to ignore a pattern
testdir/ // to ignore a directory
```

## **Step 13:** To show the differences in working directory \$ git diff [file name]

**Step 14:** To show the differences between working directory and Local repo

\$ git diff HEAD

**Step 15:** To show the differences between staging directory and Local repo

\$ git diff --staged HEAD

## Step 16: To compare 2 commits of a file

\$ git log -oneline
\$ git diff <committed 1> <committed 2>

## Step 17: To compare last 2 commits of a local repo

\$ git diff HEAD HEAD^